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NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TOURISM AND HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT
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Will the Minister of TOURISM AND CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether any agreement was reached between his Ministry and Andhra Pradesh Governmentto assist Andhra Pradesh National Institute of Tourism and Hospitality Management with 28 % equity under Central financial scheme;

(b) if so, whether it was also agreed upon to provide Rs. five crores for the Paryatan Bhawanunder infrastructure and information technology heads;

(c) if so, whether Andhra Pradesh Government was allotted 20 acres of land at Cachibowli forthe institute and 9 acres for 4 −Star hotel; and

(d) if so, the steps taken / proposed to be taken in this regard ?

Answer

MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CULTURE (SHRI JAGMOHAN)

(a) Yes, Sir. The Ministry of Tourism has agreed in principle to assist Government of Andhra Pradesh for establishment of National Institute of Tourism and Hospitality Managementwith 28 % equity under Central Financial Assistance Scheme, subject to a maximum of Rs. 2.20 Crores (equivalent to that of the State Government contribution)

(b) Central Financial Assistance is likely to be provided for setting up of the Paryatan Bhawan under Infrastructure & Information Technology head.

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) The State Government of Andhra Pradesh has been requested to identify a professionalprivate sector partner to operate the project in private / public partnership and also provide some clarifications in respect of the establishment of Paryatan Bhawan to the Ministry of Tourism. As soon as the details are received from the Government of Andhra Pradesh the proposalwill be processed further.